

1855

Summer 1855 Story of Road Building up
Dixie Canyon

Road finished Oct 1855

Wm Madison Wallace in charge
of road construction

1855: The Territorial Register
passed a measure
to build a road through
Huron Canyon from
Thos L. Williams
Evan M Green

cut stone

Pack up
Moss

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Moss

Over the Wall
It was not started at this time.

1857: Coming of General Almon
Lindsey Johnston & Governor
Allen of Minnesota

James
Marie,
France

NE &
road to
Miners
Rested
near Rock
Junction in the
Sierra Nevada
country.

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June 1855
Dixie Canyon
Hunting
Moss

Built summer
1858

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THE CHURCH OF
JESUS CHRIST
OF LATTER-DAY
SAINTS

PATRIARCH TRAINING MEETING
WITH PRESIDENT VAUN FEATHERSTONE, AREA PRESIDENT
MARCH 22, 1987 - OREM, UTAH

"It is the torch that people follow ere who the bearer may be." - A quote from the last line of a poem he had memorized concerning the following of those who are teaching and leading.

Even though we talk about this being the fullness of times, there are some keys we don't have. For example, the keys to the functioning of the Aaronic Priesthood in the Temples of the Lord, or the keys of resurrection. President Kimball told him one time that if he had these he might have used them.

Nevertheless, all of what we have will lead us closer to the 2nd coming, including the Aaronic Priesthood which is a holy priesthood and a grand aid.

Concerning the age for patriarchal blessings, try to give the blessing before our young people get to the age where they are in trouble. Give it to them as a fortification against what is to come against them.

The powers of the patriarch are to call down blessings upon a people. Since the Stake President is the one who now has the authority to ordain a patriarch and give this blessing, the S.P. might also use this power on behalf of his people.

Being Patriarch is a rather lonely job. Invite him to High Council meeting once and awhile. Invite them to sit on the stand at meetings.

Patriarchs should be giving 50 to 100 blessings a year.

Thoughts for Patriarchs Read poetry and great books. They help us to think better. He spoke of Elder Stirling Sill, who can still quote volumes of poems and sayings he has memorized. Beautiful things in the blessings will lend great spirit to the blessing. President Monson says, "Beautiful people always have beautiful things to say."

Our personal prayers are sincerely repetitious sometimes, but patriachs need to pray intently on these special occasions of giving a blessing.

Patriarchs needs to be patient and loving in their homes. They have to lead the kind of lives they need to.

Be cautious and protect yourself from evil temptations. Perhaps the door needs to be open a little when alone with a sister - avoid physical contact - watch out for those with "wanting" eyes.

Summer 1858

Story of Road Building up
the Platte River

Platte finished Oct 1858

Madison Wallace in charge
of road construction

1855

1855: The Territorial Legislature engaged a measure to improve the road through the dangerous pass. Hon. H. S. Williams
Evan J. Green

Copy from

Road up
Moss
Canyon

Built summer
1858

1857: Coming of General Almon
Lindsey Johnston & Governor
W. H. Sumner

Kansas
Marie
Fence

NE to

road to

United

States

members.

Talk with the
frontier
country.

June 1858
6 days
Benton
Hastings
Mormon
Frontier
Mormon

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W. W. Skiff

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